

COUNCIL BILL NO. 400795ORDINANCE NO. 5402

## AN ORDINANCE

**AMENDING** the Marietta City Charter and Code to allow more flexibility for the Marietta Civil Service Board quarterly meetings, and to reflect hours instead of days of suspension of fire fighters.

**WHEREAS**, the Marietta Civil Service Board has requested more flexibility for scheduling quarterly meetings; and

**WHEREAS**, the 10 days suspension of Civil Service Board employees should be designated as hours instead of days.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARIETTA, GEORGIA THAT:**

**Section 1:** Amending Section 4.17 of the Charter as follows:

“That the Civil Service Board shall hold regular meetings in the first month of each quarter (January, April, July and October) for the transaction of any business that comes up.”

**Section 2:** Amending Section 4.26 of the Charter as follows:

“That the chiefs of the fire and police departments shall have the authority to suspend without pay any member of their respective departments upon cause for periods not to exceed 10 days (112 hours for fire fighters) without a hearing by the Civil Service Board. Suspensions for periods in excess of 10 days (112 hours for fire fighters) shall be given pending hearing by the Civil Service Board.”

**Section 3:** Deleting Section 4-2002 (d) in its entirety and adding a new Section 4-2002(d) to read as follows:

(d) The suspension of an employee of the department, with or without pay, in excess of 10 days (112 hours for fire fighters).

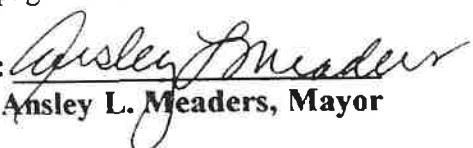
**Section :** It is hereby declared to be the intention of this ordinance that its sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases are severable, and if any

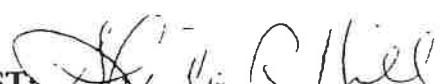
section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, it shall not affect any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this Ordinance.

**Section :** All ordinance or part of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**Section :** This ordinance shall become effective upon the signature or without the signature of the Mayor, subject to Georgia Law 1983, page 4119.

**DATE:** February 8, 1995

**FIRST READING**  
**APPROVED:**   
Ansley L. Meaders, Mayor

**ATTEST:** 

Sheila R. Hill, CMC  
City Clerk

**Approved as to form:**

  
Douglas R. Haynie,  
City Attorney

**SECOND READING**

**DATE:** March 8, 1995

**APPROVED:**   
Ansley Meaders, Mayor

**ATTEST:** 

Sheila R. Hill, CMC  
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